

**Facsimile Transmission**

2882 SAND HILL ROAD • SUITE 240 • MENLO PARK, CALIFORNIA 94025 • (650) 739-3939

RECEIVED Facsimile: (650) 739-3900
CENTRAL FAX CENTER rcr@jonesday.com

JUL 07 2005

July 7, 2005

Please hand deliver the following facsimile to:

Name/Company:

United States Patent & Trademark Office
Attn: Examiner J.A. Goldberg

Facsimile Number:

(703) 872-9306

Telephone Number:

From: Roger Rich
JPD06662

Direct Telephone No.:

(650) 739-3947

CAM No.: 043018-999087

Number of pages (including this page): 6

Re: Application Serial No. 09/497,957, filed February 4, 2000
Thomas et al.

NOTICE: This communication is intended to be confidential to the person to whom it is addressed, and it is subject to copyright protection. If you are not the intended recipient or the agent of the intended recipient or if you are unable to deliver this communication to the intended recipient, please do not read, copy or use this communication or show it to any other person, but notify the sender immediately by telephone at the direct telephone number noted above.

Message:**Supplemental Amendment follows for the above-identified application.**

Please call us immediately if the facsimile you receive is incomplete or illegible. Please ask for the facsimile operator.

CAJD:514238.1

ATLANTA • BEIJING • BRUSSELS • CHICAGO • CLEVELAND • COLUMBUS • DALLAS • FRANKFURT • HONG KONG • HOUSTON
IRVINE • LONDON • LOS ANGELES • MADRID • MENLO PARK • MILAN • MOSCOW • MUNICH • NEW DELHI • NEW YORK
PARIS • PITTSBURGH • SAN DIEGO • SAN FRANCISCO • SHANGHAI • SINGAPORE • SYDNEY • TAIPEI • TOKYO • WASHINGTON

JUL 07 2005

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper is being filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office by facsimile transmission on July 7, 2005 to facsimile telephone number (703) 872-9306.

Roger C. Rich

54,398

(Reg. No.)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| | | | |
|-----------------|--|---------------------|------------------------|
| Application of: | THOMAS <i>et al.</i> | Confirmation No. | 8113 |
| Serial No. | 09/497,957 | Art Unit: | 1634 |
| Filed: | February 4, 2000 | Examiner: | Goldberg, Jeanine Anne |
| For: | PLASMIDS COMPRISING NUCLEIC ACIDS FROM THE HEREDITARY HEMOCHROMATOSIS GENE | Attorney Docket No. | 8907-087-999 |

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed May 4, 2005, in response to the non-final Office Action dated December 10, 2004, for the above identified patent application, and in response to a telephonic conversation between Examiner Goldberg and Roger C. Rich on June 20, 2005, Applicants submit this Supplement Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111. Reconsideration of the claims in light of the amendment and remarks that follows is respectfully requested.

This paper includes:

Amendment to the Claims as shown in the list of claims beginning on page 2; and
Remarks beginning on page 5.